

**DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR
DESIGN
PATENT APPLICATION
(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Application Number	
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PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING A FILM-TYPE PACKAGING MATERIAL

the specification of which

(Title of the Invention)

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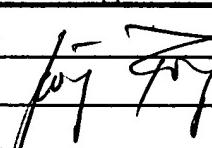
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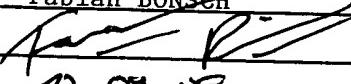
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